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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: EL TATIO GEOTHERMAL

REF: A) SANTIAGO 1475 B) 77 SANTIAGO 7211

1. MAJOR EXPORT PROJECTS DIVISION USDOC WAS CONTACTED BY MORRISON-KNUDSEN, BOISE, IDAHO REGARDING SUBJECT PROJECT. AN EARLIER REPORT REFTEL B) NOTED THAT ELECTRO-CONSULT (ITALY) HAD DONE THE FEASIBILITY STUDY AND MORRISON-KNUDSEN IS AWARE THAT THE JAPANESE ARE ACTIVE IN LATIN AMERICA IN GEOTHERMAL, THEREFORE M-K WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHAT KIND OF COMPETITION IS SHAPING UP FOR THIS PROJECT. ALSO, WHAT IS THE SOURCE OF FINANCING AND CAN PREQUALIFIED FIRMS GET A COPY OF THE FEASIBILITY STUDY FOR USE IN SECURING FINANCING IF THEY ARE EXPECTED TO PROVIDE IT? M-K ALSO INQUIRED WHETHER THE POWER WAS TO BE USED FOR

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